Suggested Course Sequence to transfer from NCCCS

Curriculum Guide for AA to BM Music Performance at WCU

Freshman/First Year

1st semester* Fall 2nd semester Spring

CC Course	WCU Course Equivalent	LS Cat.	Credit Hours	Required/Notes	CC Course	WCU Course Equivalent	LS Cat.	Credit Hours	Required/Notes
ENG 111	ENGL 101	C1	3		ENG 112	ENGL 202	C1	3	
Math	Math	C2	3		COM 231	COMM 201	C3	3	Preferred
					Humanities/Fine	Fine & Performing			Take MUS 112
History	History	Р3	3	Preferred	Arts	Arts	P5	3	(required)
Humanities/Fine						Physical & Biological			
Arts	Humanities	P4	3	Preferred	Natural Science	Sciences	C5	4	
Social/Behavioral					Social/Behavioral				
Sciences	Social Sciences	P1	3		Sciences	Social Sciences	P1	3	
ACA 122	USI 130		1						
Total Credit Hours		16		Total Credit Hours		16			

^{*}This assumes placement into college-level courses. This is meant only to be a guide. Please see your academic advisor to develop your individual plan.

Sophomore/Second Year*

3rd semester Fall 4th semester Spring

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CC Course	WCU Course	LS	Credit	Required/Notes	CC Course	WCU Course	LS	Credit	Required/Notes
	Equivalent	Cat.	Hours			Equivalent	Cat.	Hours	
HEA 110/PED						Physical & Biological			
110/Other Elective	Wellness	C4	3		Natural Science	Sciences	C5	4	
Foreign Language	MFL 101	P6	3	Required	Foreign Language	MFL 102	P6	3	Required
Social Science									
(Global Perspective)	World Cultures	P6	3		Other Elective			3	
Other Elective			3		Other Elective			3	
MUS 114***	MUS 303	P6	3	Required					
Total Credit Hours		15		Total Credit Hours			13		

^{*}You MUST audition for the WCU School of Music in January in order to be accepted as a music major for the Fall.

^{**}If you can take two semesters of music theory, aural skills, class piano, large ensemble, and applied music lessons at your NCCC, completion of the BM degree in 5 years may be possible; if not, expect to finish at the end of your *sixth* year.

^{***}Taking MUS 114 as one of your electives will reduce the number of hours required at WCU.

Suggested Course Sequence to transfer from NCCCS

Junior/Third Year

5th semester Fall 6th semester Spring

WCU Course	Course Title	Credit Hours	Notes	WCU Course	Course Title	Credit Hours	Notes
MUS 107	Applied Major	2		MUS 107	Applied Major	2	
MUS 108*	Aural Skills I	1	Fall only	MUS 208*	Aural Skills II	1	Spring only
MUS 118*	Music Theory I	3	Fall only	MUS 218*	Music TheoryIII	3	Spring only
MUS 148*	Piano Class I	1	Fall only	MUS 149*	Piano Class II	1	Spring only
MUS 358	Concert Attendance	0		MUS 358	Concert Attendance	0	
MUS 371, 372, 373	Large Ensemble	1		MUS 371, 372, 373	Large Ensemble	1	
MUS 258**	Diction for Singers I	1	Fall only	MUS 259**	Diction for Singers II	2	Spring only
Total Credit Hours		9		Total Credit Hours		10	

^{*}You may be able to skip these courses based on placement tests or transfer credits from your community college.

Senior/Fourth Year

7th semester Fall 8th semester Spring

WCU Course	Course Title	Credit Hours	Notes	WCU Course	Course Title	Credit Hours	Notes
MUS 207	Applied Major	2		MUS 207	Applied Major	2	
MUS 308	Aural Skills III	1	Fall only	MUS 309	Aural Skills IV	1	Spring only
MUS 318	Music Theory III	3	Fall only	MUS 319	Music Theory IV	3	Spring only
MUS 248	Piano Class III	1	Fall only	MUS 249	Piano Class IV	1	Spring only
MUS 358	Concert Attendance	0		MUS 358	Concert Attendance	0	
MUS 371, 372, 373	Large Ensemble	1		MUS 371, 372, 373	Large Ensemble	1	
MUS 375	Small Ensemble	1		MUS 375	Small Ensemble	1	
MUS 283	Music Technology Methods	1	Fall only	MUS 413	Improvisation	1	Spring only
Total Credit Hours		10		Total Credit Hours		10	

^{**}Instrumentalists, take music electives.

Suggested Course Sequence to transfer from NCCCS Senior/Fifth Year

9th semester Fall 10th semester Spring

WCU Course	Course Title	Credit Hours	Notes	WCU Course	Course Title	Credit Hours	Notes
MUS 307	Applied Major	2		MUS 307	Applied Major	2	And MUS 305 (0)
MUS 358	Concert Attendance	0		MUS 358	MUS 371, 372,or 373	0	
MUS 371, 372, 373	Large Ensemble	1		MUS 371, 372, 373	Large Ensemble	1	
MUS 375	Small Ensemble	1		MUS 375	Small Ensemble	1	
MUS 418	Music History I	3	Fall only	MUS 419	Music History II	3	Spring only
MUS 480	Literature	1		MUS 480 or 412	Pedagogy	1	
					Fundamentals of		
MUS 470	Orchestration/Arranging	2		MUS 329	Conducting	2	Spring only
Total Credit Hours		10		Total Credit Hours		10	

Senior/Sixth Year

11th semester Fall 12th semester Spring

WCU Course	Course Title	Credit Hours	Notes	WCU Course	Course Title	Credit Hours	Notes
MUS 407	Applied Major	2		MUS 407	Applied Major	2	And MUS 405 (0)
MUS 371, 372, 373	Large Ensemble	1		MUS 371, 372, 373	Large Ensemble	1	
MUS 375	Small Ensemble	1		MUS 375	Small Ensemble	1	
MUS 304	Jazz Appreciation	3		MUS 378	Survey of Music Industry	3	
MUS 303	Worlds of Music	3	If not transferred	MUS 474	Capstone	1	
Music Elective		3		Music Elective		3	
Total Credit Hours		13		Total Credit Hours		11	

Total Credit Hours: 143 (compared to 120 if all coursework is taken at WCU)

Reminder: 30 hours of 300-400 level courses must be taken at WCU.

https://www.wcu.edu/learn/departments-schools-colleges/fpa/music/programs/music-bm/index.aspx